TOWN OF HERNDON

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CITIZENS NEEDED TO SERVE ON CHESTNUT GROVE CEMETERY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Herndon, VA (June 11, 2007) – The Town of Herndon is seeking volunteers from the community to serve on the Chestnut Grove Cemetery Advisory Committee. The Committee aims to foster future developments and operations for the historic cemetery and to maintain and update the property.

"As a community heritage resource dating back to the 1830s, Chestnut Grove Cemetery is an historic and valuable asset to our community," said Mayor Steve DeBenedittis. "Citizen input into its maintenance, development and future planning is critical to its continued successful operation."

The advisory committee meets on an as-needed basis. Interested individuals are asked to fill out a Talent Bank Application, available at the Town's website: www.herndon-va.gov. Click on the "Town Council" link followed by the "Boards and Commissions" link. Applications remain on file for two years. To update an already existing application, contact the Town Clerk's Office at (703) 435-6804 or by e-mail at town.clerk@herndon-va.gov.

The Town of Herndon was incorporated by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia on January 14, 1879. Located in western Fairfax County, Herndon is the 3rd largest town in the Commonwealth and is home to more than 23,000 citizens. Businesses located

within the Town of Herndon, which range from high tech enterprises to entrepreneurially-owned establishments, employ approximately 23,500 people. In 2006, Herndon was named one of the "best affordable suburbs" in the nation by *Business Week* Magazine.

For more information, visit the Town's website at www.herndon-va.gov.

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